



# SD Program of Study

## Early Childhood Development & Services Pathway

This plan of study should serve as a guide, along with other career planning materials, as you continue your career path. Courses listed within this plan are only recommended coursework and should be individualized to meet each learner's educational and career goals. All plans should meet high school graduation requirements as well as college entrance requirements.

	GRADE	English	Math	Science	Social Studies/ Sciences	SD Required Electives	Career & Technical Education Courses	SAMPLE Career Options Relating to This Pathway
Interest Inventory Administered and Plan of Study Initiated for all Students								
SECONDARY	9	* English I	* Algebra I	* Physical Science	* World History * Geography	* PE/Health * Fine Art Elective	Foundations of CTE Intro to Human Services	Occupations Requiring Less Than a Baccalaureate Degree ► Childcare Assistant/Worker ► Nanny ► Teacher Assistant Occupations Requiring Baccalaureate Degree ► Assistant Director, Childcare Facilities ► Director, Childcare Facilities ► Educator for Parents ► Elementary School Counselor ► Preschool Teacher
	10	* English II	* Geometry	* Biology I		2 units total - any combination of: * World Language or	† Nutrition & Wellness Dietetics and Nutrition	
	Academic/Career Advisement Provided - College Placement Assessments							
	11	* English III	* Algebra II	* Chemistry	* American History	* Computer Studies or Approved Career & Technical Education	* Human Development: Birth to School Age Skills for Parenting	
	12	* English IV	◀College Algebra		* U.S. Government * Psychology ✧	* Personal Finance or * Economics	Teaching and Training as a Profession * Youth Internship or * Senior Experience	
The general course identified in this Program of Study are those required as part of S.D. Advanced Pathway to Graduation.								
POSTSECONDARY	Year 13	Written and Oral Communications	College Level Math	Natural Sciences	Social Studies/ Sciences	Computer Literacy		
	Year 14	Written Communications	Information Literacy			Wellness for Life Arts & Humanities		
	Year 15							
	Year 16							
◀Blue Text - College Level - Dual Credit								† Red Text - Courses can be articulated to Postsecondary Education
Underlined Text - Industry Certification Available								* Classes available through Virtual School ✧ Recommended academic